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REQUISITION!

To D. H. MACDOWALL, ESQ.,
PRINCE ALBERT.

SOUTH BRANCH, March, 1883

Sir,—

We, the undersigned residents of the South Branch Settlement and surrounding country, having every confidence in your ability and influence, request you to become a candidate to represent us as a member of the North West Council, for the District of Lorne, and in the event of your consenting, hereby pledge ourselves to support and vote for you at the coming election.

We are,

Yours respectfully,

Edward Taylor,
John H. Gordon,
George Tait,
William Erasmus,
Philip Turner,
Patrick Anderson,
Francois Fournier,
George Whitford,
George F. Whitford,
John Attick,
Adam Isbister,
Robert Harper,
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North West Council ELECTION.

PRINCE ALBERT, N.W.T., Feb. 27, 1883

D. H. MACDOWALL, ESQ.

DEAR SIR,—

We, the undersigned electors of the District of Lorne, having the fullest confidence in your integrity and ability to represent us in the North West Council, hereby pledge ourselves, should you accede to our request to come forward as a candidate, to support you with our influence and our votes, and feel assured and indeed certain that you will receive the suffrages of the entire electorate. Trusting that in the interests of the country at large you will consent to come forward as our candidate, and permit us to publicly announce you as such.

We are,

Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

L. Clarke, Memver North West Council,
C. Mair,
Thomas McKay,
H. T. More,
Philip Turner,
M. McBeath,
William McBeath,
J. R. McPhail,
Bernard Brunster,
C. F. Young,
John Macdonald,
John F. Betts,
R. Gwynne,
George McKay,
William Miller,
George A. Miller,
W. J. Carter,
Alexander Lang,
J. M. Campbell,
John F. Kennedy,
T. J. Agnew,
James Stevenson,
James J. Campbell,
Wm. Drever,
John D. McKay,
Alexander McBeth,
J. Hanafin, etc. etc.

REPLY

PRINCE ALBERT, Feb. 27, 1883.

GENTLEMEN,—

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of this date, requesting me to allow myself to be brought forward as a candidate for the North West Council at the ensuing election. I have much pleasure in acceding to your request, and will endeavor to the best of my ability to further the interests not only of the District of Lorne, but of the whole North West, should I be called to represent you in the Council.

I am, Gentlemen,

Yours truly,

D. H. MACDOWALL.

A MEETING

WILL BE HELD IN

THE TIMES OFFICE

ON

Thursday, the 26th of April,

AT 7:30 P.M.

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24th of May

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has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to said partnership are to be paid to RALPH H. BRADNOBER, who will settle all claims against the said partnership.

THOMAS CONWAY,
RALPH H. BRADNOBER.

Dated at Prince Albert, N.W.T., this 19th day of April, A.D. 1883.

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GREY EAGLE,

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MARES

THIS SEASON.

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PRINCE ALBERT.

On the 17th ult. the Portage, Westbourne & Northwestern commenced running a regular constructions train between Portage la Prairie and Gladstone, leaving the Portage at 2 p.m. and Gladstone at 8 a. m. each day.

Hosmar Feeling Good.—George Hosmer the Boston sculler, seems to be thinking pretty well of himself this spring. He has come out in a double barrelled challenge to Courtney, Riley, and Lee. The boys certainly ought to give Horsmer a chance at them.

Some weeks off a deputation composed of the representatives of Manitoba in the House and Senate waited upon Sir John Macdonald to urge his interference to protect bona fide settlers of that Province against the operations of speculating claim jumpers. Each member of the delegation called attention to numerous cases of great hardship, and requested that the wholesale cancellation of homestead titles be stopped. The usual mode adopted by claim-jumpers is to go around and ferret out evidence to show that some settler for whom the local agent has recommended that a patent be issued, has not fulfilled in every respect the conditions of settlement, and after procuring by any means, affidavits to that effect, at once applies to have such claim cancelled in order to secure it for himself. In hundreds of instances in Southern Manitoba during the past two months honest settlers have been turned out of their homes without a moment's warning on the plea that the persons from whom they may have purchased their claims had not fulfilled to the letter all the terms and conditions of settlement. Sir John Macdonald promised to consider the matter, and to embody any suggestions which the Manitoba representatives might make in the new Land Act.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Rev. Daniel Farrelly, nephew of Mgr. Farrelly, of Belleville, died in the Hotel Dieu, Kingston.

John Brown the well-known personal attendant on the Queen, has died at Windsor Castle.

The fellow who is glad that spring is at hand is the one whose winter overcoat is seedy enough to plant.

Seven 40-ton locomoties passed through St. Paul for the Canadian Pacific Saturday and eight more are in transit.

The time for disagreement with your neighbour because he won't keep his hens out of your garden is at hand.

Cabt. Carey, who commanded the party of English soldiers with Prince Napoleon when he was killed in Zululand, is dead.

Presbyterianism is growing in the city of Tokio, Japan. Recent accounts tell of the erection of the twelfth Presbyterian church.

It is rumored in Ottawa that Mr. Forster, late Chief Secretary for Ireland, is to be the Marquis of Lorne's successor as Governor-General of Canada.

The latest sensation in Paris is wrestling by female experts. Four of these Amazons wrestle every night French style, Graeco-Roman, and draw large crowds.

The business between St. Paul and Winnipeg is crowding the rolling stock of the St. Paul & Manitoba Road, although the latter is being reinforced as fast as it can be brought.

Australia has not escaped the prevailing storms, and the western portion of Victoria has suffered much damage from floods. In Queensland thunderstorms have wrought serious damage to the crops and sheep.

A decided victory has been scored for the eight hours movement in the United States. Henceforth the workingmen in the United States navy yards are to work only eight hours a day, without any reduction of pay.

The higher education of women is not being overlooked in Manitoba. News comes from Brandon that a ladies' college is to be established there. The location is to be on the Johnston estate, and is a very healthy and pleasant one.

An effort is being made by military men to have a grand review at some central point in Canada on Dominion Day. Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal and Toronto are the places mentioned so far as likely to be selected in the event of the militia authorities acceding to the wishes of the promoters.

At the funeral of E. G. Stebbins, editor of the New York *Patriot*, which took place at Gowanda, the Knights of Honor, in accordance with the request of the deceased, when following the remains to the grave sang "Marching Through Georgia," repeating the song as the earth fell upon the coffin. On leaving the cemetery they sang "Goodbye My Love, Good-bye." Stebbins was an agnostic.

A Texas paper furnishes the following list of provisions usually filled out for a day's shooting in that State: One gallon of whiskey, three fried ducks, one quart of cocktail, four loaves of bread, one bottle of wine, three pounds of bacon one bottle of whiskey, two dozen eggs, one jug of whiskey, sausage and ground coffee, one pint of whiskey, coffee pot, one demijohn of whiskey, cheese, sugar, pepper sauce, two bottles of snake medicine, one canteen of whiskey, ten pounds of Irish potatoes, one small keg of whiskey, three lemons, four pocket companions full of whiskey; also some cigars and a coal oil can full of whiskey, in case of accident to the glass and stoneware packages.

Commissioner Carman, of the Northwest Traffic Association, has issued a new tarriff on emigrant movables to Manitoba and the North West Territories, which took effect March 20, 1883, and expires May 1, 1883. The new rates are considerably lower than the old ones, and will apply to all household goods, second-hand farm machinery and wagons, and live stock, not to exceed six head, property included in the outfit of settlers, but do not include general merchandise, provisions or grain, unless intended for seed or for feeding animals in transit. A limited quantity of lumber or wood in shape for building a claim, but not to exceed 2,000 feet, will be taken in a mixed car.

Hanlan says in regard to the differences between himself and Wallace Ross, that he is willing to submit the matter to any competent boating or sporting man in the country, and abide by his decision. Ross' latest proposition is that the man winning the course give the other expenses. Hanlan says—I have already conceded $1,500 to Ross in stakes. Seeing that he was not able to raise $2,500, I consented to row him for $1,000, each man to pay his own expenses, the race to be rowed in neutral waters and the winner to take the stakes and receipts. These are the terms of my race with Kennedy, except the stake, which is $2,500 a side. If Ross really wants to row me, let him submit our differences to arbitration and then cover my forfeit of $500, now up with the Turf, Field and Farm. I will pull him on any water between Toronto and St. John, that is wide enough for one boat to pass another.

THE PRINCE ALBERT TIMES

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25, 1883.

PRINCE ALBERT SETTLERS.

Mr. Blake will have deserved the thanks of the Prince Albert settlers, if his professed interest in their behalf results in remedying the difficulties, or at least some of them, under which they are at present laboring. The delay in the matter of surveys has, of course, retarded settlement not a little, but as the Government promises to greatly increase the surveying staff there is a hope and probability that this year there will be a much larger region of country under survey than there was last year. Sir John Macdonald hoped to be able to announce that during the present year five or six hundred townships had been surveyed. During the last three or four years there have been but three or four hundred townships laid out. Then, in the matter of homestead patents a bill is before the House to do away with the round-about process that has been in vogue hitherto. The delay in granting titles to land has been the cause of more vexation to settlers than perhaps anything else. The improvment of the Saskatchewan was another subject introduced in the House by Mr. Blake. Last year it appears the sum of $20,000 was voted for this purpose, but there wasn't a single dollar expended. This year $10,000 have been voted, and it is certainly to be hoped that part, if not all, of this sum will be laid out. In the meantime we suppose we must content ourselves with the assurance of the Government that so soon as the different obstructions have been surveyed, and it is ascertained where the money can be most profitably employed and not wasted, the work will be gone on with. We have, then, as the result of Mr. Blake's motion for memorials and correspondence relating to the claims of settlers in Prince Albert and neighboring places in the North West Territory, promises from the Government that many of the difficulties and disadvantages under which we are at present laboring will be removed as speedily as possible, and we would, here, urge upon the Government of the day the necessity for fulfilling the promises held out in order to allay the well grounded fears of settlers, and promote amongst them generally a feeling of greater security and contentment.

TWO GOOD CLAUSES.

In the amended Lands Act we are pleased to notice that the Government has inserted a clause empowering it to make advances to immigrants for certain purposes. For this we think the Government is to be commended, for for want of means many deserving people might be deterred from becoming settlers. Such advances, therefore, if properly administered, cannot fail to be productive of a great amount of good to the country, and at the same time a boon to the immigrant. Another clause in the Act relates to the advancing of sums of money by loan companies to settlers. The amount of such loans is limited to $500, and is to be secured by a lien on the lands taken up by the borrower. The maximum rate of interest is to be restricted to six per cent. per annum. These two clauses, to which we briefly refer, will meet with general approval, the latter particularly providing for assistance that is in so many cases both necessary and desirable, and which in almost every instance would be expended in improvements.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

There is little prospect of steam communication between Canada and Brazil being continued unless an increased subsidy is voted by the Government.

Some important changes in the Dominion Cabinet are announced to take place shortly. Sir Charles Tupper retires, and it is rumored that Sir A. T. Galt will enter the Ministry with the portfolio of Minister of Agriculture. Hon. J. H. Pope is to be made Minister of Railways and Canals.

The Toronto *Globe* is authority for saying that the latest reason assigned for Sir Charles Tupper's retirement from the Ministry is that the Pacific Railway Company are anxious to secure as Canadian High Commissioner in London a gentleman who will devote the greater part of his time to the promotion of their peculiar interests in the Old Country. It is expected that Sir Charles will leave before the close of the session. Mr. Fullerton, of Amherst, Sir Charles' brother-in-law, will be Conservative candidate for Cumberland, N. S., when a vacancy occurs.

An infamous attempt to blow up the Government buildings in London, England, was made about the middle of last month by Fenians. O'Donavan Rossa, the great Irish agitator, says that the explosion was caused by dynamite, and that it was intended to do all the damage possible, and it was done to shew England that she had better give Ireland her own parliament. Unhappy Ireland! Poor, misguided Irishmen! How they expect to get a parliament of their own by dynamite explosions and cold-blooded assassinations, the versatile O'Donavan doesn't rise to explain.

Mr. Walker, of Woodlands, Manitoba, has been at Ottawa as a delegate from a large number of squatters on the school lands in that Province to urge that measures be taken to secure them in their present holdings on payment of a reasonable price per acre. Mr. Walker, accompanied by Mr. Ross, of Lisgar, had an interview with Hon. Mr. Macpherson, and obtained a promise that the legislation necessary to enable the Government to treat with settlers interested should be introduced before the close of the present session.

TO THE PUBLIC.

We have made arrangements to leave papers at T. J. Agnew's hardware store the Post Office, T. N. Campbell's news store and Markley & Co's dry goods store. Those living near any of the above mentioned places will find their papers there. Also at this office.

A Mahometan paper states that an inhabitant of India, who is eighty years old, has just paid 30,000 rupes for the hand of a girl of eleven years, and the marriage will soon take place.

TO THE ELECTORS

OF THE

Electoral District

OF

LORNE

GENTLEMEN,—

Having been requested by a number of friends to offer myself as a Candidate for the coming Election, I beg respectfully to announce that it is my intention to come out, and if returned, I pledge myself to do all in my power to further the interests of Prince Albert and vicinity.

I remain gentlemen,

your obedient servant,

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Cream, Satin Starch,	Salmon, Sardines,	Towels, Towelling,	Gent's Hose,
Corn Starch,	Lobsters,	Prints, Cottons,	Underclothing, Shirts
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Cream Tartar,	Candies, Raisins,	Toilet Waters,	Moccasins,
Spices, Catsup,	Currants, Biscuits,	Irish Linen, Muslins,	Boots and Shoes,
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Powder and Shot,	White Wine Vinegar,	Ribbons, Linen Skirts,	Etc., etc., etc.
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Tomatoes, Corn,	Sugars, Dried Apples,	Brussels Net,	

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T. J. AGNEW.

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THE MASS MEETING.

To the Editor of The Times.]

SIR,—Your issue of the 11th inst. brought to my notice an article which no doubt the writer perhaps intended for a "communication," but which might be more properly styled a conondrum, since like his unprinted effusions it consists merely of a string of shallow witticisms, without logical connection or definite meaning. He kindly hints, however, that he is referring to an article which appeared in the columns of THE TIMES of the 4th inst., and which he presumes was written by some one who was "born young." If he really means to convey any idea by this expression, it must mean that he is as singular in his manner of birth as he is in his logic, so that while other people have a habit of getting born at an early stage of their existence and then growing older and wiser, he was born old and has ever since been growing younger and more f——h, which accounts for the fact that he has already reached an advanced state of his childhood. Had the subscriber been aware that such a shining light (so to speak) existed amongst us he would not have had the audacity to "speak in public," but he failed to see how so vast an amount of eloquence could have been contained in so small a space, and can now only account for it by supposing that, like Josh Billing's town boy, he is hollow even unto his feet. But although the mantle of Demosthanes (as it were) may have fallen on the shoulders of my illustrious fellow merchant, I must nevertheless dispute his ambition to "lead," as I have no wish to follow his example to "imitate," and if I do choose to place a cat on the chimney top, it is only with the charitable intention of occupying the ground, and thus preventing Mr. Betts' admiring fellow citizens from placing him in that elevated position. I accept Mr. Betts' thanks for bringing his name before the public, since I well know that in so doing I would greatly gratify his vanity and give him the opportunity to add the *role* of writer to that of speaker. He also makes some mysterious remarks about the Parrot defunct. Alas! poor sheet, had thy columns contained one production from the pen of our illustrious townsman thy name had been recorded in the foremast ranks of the annals of literature, instead of passing into oblivion.

T. O. DAVIS.

A VALANTINE.

Your face is lobster red,
Baby mine;
You have no hair upon your head,
Baby mine.

But you're really superfine,
And you're baby first of nine;
You're a daisy valentine,
Baby mine.

Accounts from Rat Portage indicate that the absence of any settled Provincial authority is producing deplorable results in the way of lawlessness and insecurity. The Mayor is not popular, and has been asked to resign, but refuses to do so, and a number of the inhabitants have organized as The Citizens' Protective Association. The Town Councillors threaten to resign and leave the Mayor to stand alone. Some of the inhabitants favour Manitoba rule, and others stand by the rights of Ontario. The men employed upon section B of the Pacific Railway refuse to submit to the laws, and recently when the Corporation constable undertook to arrest a couple of disorderly characters, a Section B policeman interfered and procured their discharge on their own recognizance. They showed their contempt for the Corporation authorities by neglecting to appear when required. With matters in this chaotic condition, it is altogether probable that serious outbreaks and disorders will occur before long, by which the lives and property of the citizens will be endangered.

WALTERS

AND

BAKER,

General Merchants,

Prince Albert, Batoches'.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Goods of Alexander Roderick Kennedy, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against Alexander Roderick Kennedy, late of Prince Albert, in the North West Territories of Canada, yeoman, who died on or about the thirtieth day of January, A.D. 1882, at Prince Albert, aforesaid, intestate, are to send by post, prepaid, to William V. Maclise, Esq., of Prince Albert, North West Territories, Solicitor for Sarah Kennedy, Administratrix, and John F. Kennedy, Administrator, of all and singular, the personal estate and effects, rights and credits of the said Alexander Roderick Kennedy, deceased on or before the FIFTH DAY of MAY, A.D. 1883, a statement containing their names and addresses and full particulars of their claims and the security (if any) held by them, and after the last mentioned date the said Administratrix and Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, regard being had only to the claims of which notice has been given as above required and the said Administratrix and Administrator will not be liable for said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received.

SARAH KENNEDY, Administratrix, above named.

JOHN F. KENNEDY, Administrator, above named.

Dated at Prince Albert, March 24th, 1883.

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE.
Ottawa, 14th July, 1881.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council.

On the recommendation of the Honorable the Acting Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs, and under the provisions of the first section of the Act passed in the session of the Parliament of Canada held in the 44th year of Her Majesty's reign, chaptered seventeen, and intitled "An Act to amend the Indian Act, 1880,"

His Excellency, by and with the consent of the Queen's Privy Council for Canada, has been pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the following regulations be and the same are hereby made and adopted:

"No band, or irregular band of Indians, and no Indian of any band or irregular band in the North West Territories may, without the consent in writing of the Indian Agent for the locality, sell, barter, exchange, or give to any person or persons whomsoever, any grain or root crops, or any other produce grown on any reserve in the North West Territories, or an any part of such reserve; and any such sale, barter, exchange, or gift shall be absolutely null and void, unless the same be made in accordance with the provisions and regulations hereby prescribed; and any such grain or root crops or other produce unlawfully in the possession of any person or persons shall be liable to be seized and taken possession of by any person acting under the authority, either general or special, of the Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs, and to be dealt with as the Superintendent-General, or any officer or person thereunto by him authorized may direct."

J. O. COTE,
Cleak, Privy Council.

By forty-fory Victoria, chapter seventeen being "An Act to amend the Indian Act 1880, sections two and three, it is provided that—

"2. Any person who buys or otherwise acquires from any such Indian, or band, or irregular band of Indians, contrary to any provisions or regulations made by the Governor in Council under this Act, is guilty of an offence, and is punishable, upon summary conviction, by fine, not exceeding one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment for a period not exceeding three months, in any place of confinement other than a penitentiary, or by both fine and imprisonment.

"If any such crops, or root crops or other produce, as aforesaid be unlawfully in the possession of any persons, within the intent and meaning of this Act and of any provisions or regulations made by the Governor in Council under this Act, any persons acting under the authority, either general or special of the Superintendent-General may with such assistance in that behalf as he may think necessary, seize and take possession of the same, and he shall deal therewith as the Superintendent-General, or any officer on person thereunto by him authorized, may direct."

E. DEWDNEY,
Indian Commissioner Manitoba and North West Territories

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all horses branded DL on the hip are the property of the Dominion Lands Office, and all parties are warned against having any horses thus branded in their possession unless authorized in writing by a proper officer of the Department of the Interior.

E. DEVILLE,
Chief Inspector of Government Survey

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R. J. O'LEARY
PRORIETOR

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Respectfully,
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S. H. CASWELL,

THE PRINCE ALBERT TIMES

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25, 1883.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

The mail is due here next Monday.

A large stock of Gents' Visiting Cards on hand at this office.

Mr. Osborne left for the South Branch yesterday.

Mr. T. N. Campbell also left for the South Branch yesterday.

Ladies Visiting Cards, best quality, at the TIMES.

Drafts, available at all points of the Dominion, can be obtained from Messrs. Macarthur & Knowles.

Mr. John Hurd, of Brockville, brother of the Messrs. Hurd of this place, arrived in town Sunday evening.

Messrs. Jackson & Jackson have just received a consignment of harrows, seeders, and other farming implements.

Markley & Co. are expecting a few "Milwaukee Hats" by first mail stage. Wait and see them. The first imported into Prince Albert.

Hugh J. Montgomery, real estate agent, amongst other things, advertises that settlers requiring patents can obtain them through him.

Col. Richardson is expected here in a few days, and the court for this district will open this day week. The number of cases to be heard this court is unusually large.

Envelopes printed at the TIMES cheap.

Ducks are very plentiful just now, but are very wild and hard to be got at. Several of our crack shots have been out on the war path, but have met with but indifferent success.

Messrs. Geo. McKay and J. Tait arrived home on last Sunday evening from the South Branch, where they had been for freight for Moore & Macdowall. They report the roads as very heavy.

A meeting will be held on Thursday evening, April 26th, at 7:30 o'clock in the TIMES office, to arrange a programme of games for the 24th of May. A large meeting of those interested is requested.

Mr. Thomas Powers, of this town, has arrived back home from the east, where he had been on business for the past few months. Evidently the trip has agreed with him, as he is both looking and feeling splendid.

Business Cards printed on the shortest notice.

All the machinery for Moore & Macdowall's saw mill has been got across the river, and is arriving daily. It is expected that it will all be here by the last of the week, as everything is going smoothly notwithstanding the heavy roads.

Owing to the bad state of the roads and the weather on Saturday evening, the sale of Stanley town lots was postponed until Wednesday, May 2nd. A few lots were put up and brought good figures. Over forty lots have been disposed of by private sale many of them on building conditions.

Mr. Samuel G. Miller has purchased the stallion "Grey Eagle" from Mr. Wm. Lyttle. We would direct attention to the advertisement of this horse in another column. This animal is acknowledged to be the finest of his class ever imported into this country, and the farmers of this district are to be congratulated on the opportunity which is afforded them of improving their horseflesh. Due notice of the places at which this horse will stand will appear from time to time in our columns.

Bill Heads neatly and promptly printed at this office.

We have been informed by Mr. Way that the long talked of Brass Band question has been revived to the extent of sending for the instruments by Mr. R. Gwynne, who started for Ontario yesterday. The band will consist of sixteen pieces, including drums and cymbals which may be expected here about the beginning of July. All unpaid subscriptions will be called for before that date, and the committee hope that sufficient new ones can be got to pay for the instruments after which they propose to support the band by means of entertainments given for that purpose.

All kinds of Job Printing promptly executed.

Last Thursday evening a meeting was held in THE TIMES office for the purpose of forming a general athletic club. The meeting was fairly attended, and quite an amount of business got through with. The club will be known as the Prince Albert Athletic Club, and separate evenings will be set apart for the practice of lacrosse, baseball and cricket. The following gentlemen were appointed office bearers for the ensuing season:—President, T. N. Campbell; Vice-President, J. F. Kennedy; Secretary-Treasurer, J. Knowles; Committee, Messrs. A. L. Ashdown, J. D. Maveety, A. R. Burns, J. Hanafin and F. C. Baker.

Circulars printed with quick dispatch.

On Sunday afternoon the water in the river rose rapidly, causing the ice to break up with a great roar. The immense body of ice at once started down the river, crushing and grinding and tearing along the banks with terrific force. The curling and skating rink—the arena of many keenly contested matches and enjoyable evening's amusements during the long winter—seemed to hang together with great tenacity, and was lost from view with its hedge of green bushes standing intact. The river is now almost clear of ice, and we expect 'ere long to hear the echo of the steamboats' whistle reverberating through the woods on the other side of the river.

Twins are described as just too too much.

Operations on the C. P. R. from the South Saskatchewan River to the Rockies, have been commenced by the contractors.

We are glad to see the familiar faces of Messrs. Kerr & Hamilton once more on the streets. They arrived back in town on Sunday evening. They intend going into the furniture business as soon as their stock arrives, which they expect along shortly.

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